

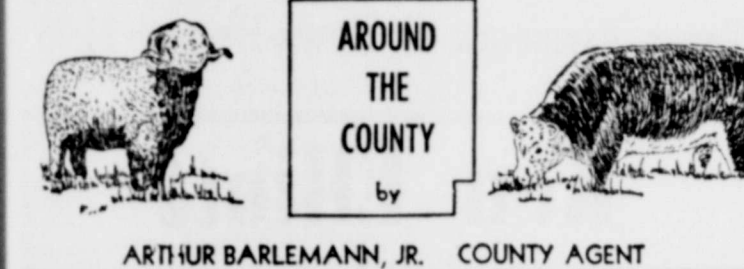
# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## A Tragedy of Errors by Jerry Marcus



Bad driving manners contribute heavily to highway casualties.



It looks like the screwworm infestation situation in Sterling County may be dropping off somewhat. There have been no confirmed cases of worms in the county for a week now. The last confirmed cases were the ones reported by the laboratory last Wednesday for the Nick Reed ranch and Gene Alley. One sample sent in the latter part of the week from the W.N. & L.R. Reed ranch was identified as non-screwworm today, Wednesday. This is the first complete week since June 14 that the county has not had a confirmed case.

Dr. James Henderson, area veterinarian with the Texas Animal Health Commission, called Tuesday night checking on the situation. He was interested in the local picture and what was happening. The report that no new cases had been found and that fly boxes were being found by many of the ranchers was a good one, according to Dr. Henderson.

The ranches where the last few cases were found were in the drop zone and thus were not marked for the plane with the customary white lime cross. Map coordinates for these places were called in however by the inspectors to assure that the locations were marked by eradication officials.

Statewide, the report released last Thursday showed a total of 39 cases in Texas, one in New Mexico and fourteen in Arizona. A total of 97,108,250 sterile flies were released during the period of June 20-26.

Dr. Henderson urged the continued check of all livestock and reporting of all suspected cases. Samples mailed in, whether screwworms or not provide the program officials with a check on the situation.

John Brock has a pecan tree in his orchard that is growing pecans in bunches like grapes, at least in one spot. One cluster of nuts on the tree has thirty-nine pecans in it. The limb appears to have been damaged in some way. The branch is flattened and the nuts are growing out of the flattened portion of the branch. At this stage, they appear to be normal and are developing like the rest of the nuts. The



## Behind the 8-Ball

Well, the 4th of July was celebrated here on the 5th. A dull, dead town, because of the people away, was all that one could observe here. But, there were no serious accidents or tragedies here— or none that I heard of—so the old town came through in good shape.

The bank and the cafes, the stations and the News-Record were about the only ones open, I guess.

The State Water Commission has not yet granted a permit for the big dam over in Coke County, and it may never.

Water is getting too precious all over the state for any new permits to be let, unless there is tremendous political pressure brought to bear.

The local Woodmen of the World donated \$100 to the Little League Park here this week. Some more big money is needed to finish the ball park, it is said.

If you want to donate some just take or mail a check to D. Kirk Hopkins at the bank.

The last person to have a counterfeit bill has to let the Secret Service boys have it. Henry Zettler found that out about two weeks ago. He had a \$20 bill "lifted" by the boys with nothing but a receipt to show for it. And he can't spend that!

The paper is out a little bit early this week due to the fact that I have to make a trip to Denton for a school girl finishing up a six-week summer term at T.W.U.

Don't swat that fly! It may be one of those sterile screwworm flies that have been dropped by the Screwworm Control boys in this area.

Taxes change! Some excise or sales taxes come down—and cigarette taxes are up—till the government makes the most on a package now. The manufacturer only makes a fraction of what the federal and state governments make on a package. That's one way of helping support the government nowadays.

I can remember when you could buy a carton of cigarettes for \$1.00 per. But that was back in the early thirties. Now the taxes are \$1.90 a carton.

And all this happens just as I really have the habit.

These riots that the college kids are pulling these days—at least prove one thing—they are learning a lot more in college nowadays, than they used to!

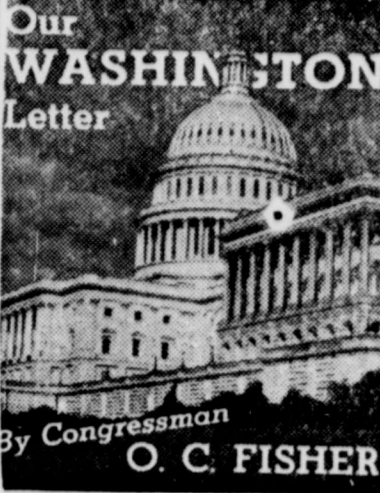
Would you call that progress?

LBJ sure spends a lot of time down around his home in Texas now. The old home-place must really look good to him now—that he has been away so long—in Washington.

Sometimes it takes a bunch of this kind of stuff to help fill up the paper, and this is just one of those weeks.

Hugh Harzke made the ambulance run out to the wreck here Tuesday night in Lowe's ambulance. He was not used to all the push buttons on the dash and said they stymied him—at least a little.

I know. I drove it all the way to Big Spring one night, with a patient and didn't find the siren till I got into the driveway of the Malone-Hogan Hospital there.



Top news on Capitol Hill last week was the approval of a revolutionary Housing bill. Over the full period of its coverage it will cost American taxpayers \$19 billion, plus the expected expansion of new programs that are included.

Amid some lively arm-twisting, the vote was close on the crucial issue of having Uncle Sam make direct payments for rental subsidies to hundreds of thousands of tenants. On a key vote an amendment which paved the way for approval of the rent subsidy innovation, 208 voted for and 202 against. That was the real crucial vote, which meant the most, and the outcome involved an expenditure of billions of dollars in rent subsidies.

Texans in Congress were divided, with 10 voting in favor of the amendment which paved the way for granting of rent subsidies, and 9 of us voting against it. Three voted "present" and one was absent.

The bill will permit such subsidies to be paid to families in New York City, for example, which make up to \$11,200 a year, for rental costs that exceed one-fourth of the occupant's income.

Authorization for new government-owned public housing units was jumped upward at five times the present rate of construction. A total of 240,000 new units got the green light.

There are many other "goodies" in the bill, including \$1500 grants (not loans) to occupants of "substandard" houses in urban renewal areas, for use in refurbishing homes subsidized interest rates and an open door for the Executive branch to spend billions without further consultation with the Congress.

In fact, so deeply involved was the legislation in every spectrum of American housing both public and private, that one observer was prompted to suggest that the bill would seem more appropriate if it came out of Prime Minister Wilson's Socialist-controlled Parliament in Britain.

Among recent guests have been Mrs. Arthur Stehling of Fredericksburg; Dr. Carl Kunath of San Angelo; Mrs. W.E. Jacoby and daughters Madge and Linda of Robert Lee; Major and Mrs. Robert E. Chapman and Carolyn Gunter of San Angelo; Sheriff and Mrs. Cecil Turner of San Angelo, enroute to the Sheriff's convention in Atlantic City; and Rupert Hays and X. B. Cox, Jr., also of San Angelo.

## LIONS CLUB

The new Lions Club president, Stan Horwood, presided at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. He had the program and he talked on the need to help aid the youth of the community. He said that the young people were the biggest asset we, as a community, had to offer the world.

## Need Help at Little League Park Saturday—To Set Poles, Lights, etc.

Jack Asbill said that a number of men and young men were needed at the Little League Park Saturday at 9:00 a.m. to help clean out holes, and get the work done for the light pole settings by the setters. So, if you possibly can—anyone—show up around 9 a.m. to help with the work.

Don Evans and Bill J. Cole were guests at the luncheon. The prize went to Bill Cole.

In case of fire dial 8-4771.

## Car-Truck Crash Tuesday Night

### Frank Cole, 79, Dies; Buried Thursday

Frank W. Cole, 79, retired grocer, died in the Sterling County Hospital early Wednesday morning. He had been ill for six months.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church with burial in the City Cemetery. The Rev. Bill Wiemers, pastor, and Presbyterian minister, Hubert Travis, officiated. Lowe Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Frank Waverly Cole was born September 17, 1886 in Johnson County, Texas. He came to Sterling with his parents when he was eleven years old and farmed and ranched with his parents. He worked for the Santa Fe railway for ten years, and then owned and operated a grocery store here until he retired in 1952. He was a Mason.

Survivors include the wife; two daughters, Miss Ruth Cole of Phoenix, Ariz. and Mrs. O. E. Mullins of Dallas; one son, Oliver W. Cole of Dallas; one granddaughter; a sister, Mrs. W. W. House of San Angelo and two brothers, John Cole of McCamey and Odell Cole of Breckenridge.

Pallbearers were Seth Bailey, Luke Hallmark, Jim Bob Clark, Billy Nelson McClellan, Foster Conger, Hubert Williams, Worth Durham and O. T. Jones.

### Joint Services at Methodist Church Sunday Evening

Members of the Presbyterian and Baptist churches are planning to meet with the Methodist church Sunday evening at the 7:30 service. The purpose of the joint meeting is primarily to welcome the new Methodist minister, Bill Wiemers. The Wiemers were moved here last month by the Southwest Texas Conference and the custom of a joint meeting is an old one here.

Everybody is welcome to attend the services.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Blackman spent last weekend in Gattsville visiting relatives.

### One Woman Is Hospitalized

A car-truck crash, 3 miles west on Highway 87 at 8:50 p.m. Tuesday resulted in one girl being hospitalized and another getting a head cut stitched up. The overnight hospitalized girl was Betty Collier of Big Spring. She sustained a head cut of minor importance and shock. Sandra Tubbs, also of Big Spring, had several stitches to repair a cut over her left eye.

The 1965 Ford sedan, driven by Alvie L. Harkrider, Sr. of Big Spring, swerved as the driver hit his brakes and swung into a Clawson Construction Co. truck loaded with cattle, as the two were going down the grade on 87 at the Wildcat Mountain edge. The Ford topped the grade and dropped down on the truck—then braked—causing the mishap.

Harkrider had four girls in his car. They had been to Austin that day taking their state cosmetology examinations. The right rear fender of the car was crumpled and the back glass shattered.

Dan Collier, who will open the Sterling Drug Company here soon, is busily engaged in cleaning up and straightening up the store building. Dan and his family moved here late last month.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

- Mrs. Hattie Carroll
- Mrs. L. M. McCarty
- Glenn Waldrep
- Mrs. May Martin
- Mrs. W. B. Atkinson
- Mrs. Jessie Sparkman
- Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include: Bob Coleman
- S. E. Currie
- J. Q. Foster
- Betty Collier, transferred
- Frank Cole, expired
- George Demere

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## Peripatetic Continent

Waters unexpectedly teeming with fish... giant submarine canyons and mountains... ancient traces of a "drifting" subcontinent. These are some of the preliminary findings reported by scientists of the Indian Ocean Expedition sponsored by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).

Since the cooperative venture was launched in 1959, some 30 research vessels from the United States and 23 other countries have crisscrossed the third largest and least-explored ocean.

It will take years to evaluate all the data collected. However, one American scientist reported that the Arabian Sea proved startlingly rich in fish; within 45 minutes, a trawler made the "exceptionally high catch" of three tons! Other unsuspected grounds abounding in fish were located off Burma, Thailand and Somalia.

Other research vessels discovered uncharted undersea trenches, including two off Ceylon, larger than the Grand Canyon and a wall-like ridge 8,000 feet high and 3,600 miles long. A Columbia University geologist told of evidence that much of the Indian subcontinent originally lay nearly 5,000 miles south of its present position. In its drift northward, it gouged great scars at the bottom of the Indian Ocean. The scientist estimated that the land mass completed its journey about 100 million years ago.

For further information on the U.N. write to: United Nations Association of the U. S. A., 345 E. 46th St., New York, N. Y. 10017

**Civil Service**  
NEW CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

A new examination for Immigration Patrol Inspector has been announced by the U. S. Civil Service Commission, for filling position paying \$6,050 a year with the Immigration and Naturalization Service of the U. S. Department of Justice.

These positions offer young men interested in immigration law enforcement an opportunity to begin a career in such work with on-the-job training for positions of greater responsibility. No experience is required for these positions. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test of verbal abilities, judgement, and aptitude for learning a foreign language; those who pass the test will be interviewed to determine if they have the personal qualities needed for the work. Since the duties are arduous, applicants must be in sound physical condition.

Full information is given in Announcement No. 359-B. Applications will be accepted by the Board of Examiners, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Washington, D. C. 20536, until July 8, 1965.

Another new examination has been announced for filling career professional positions in aero-space technology with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Positions are open in NASA Headquarters and Field Centers throughout the United States in the fields of physical science, engineering, mathematics, life science and administration. Salaries for these positions range from \$5,990 to \$18,170 a year.

Information on the requirements for qualifications for these positions and information on how and where to apply are given in Announcement No. 347-B. Applications will be accepted until further notice.

Announcements and appropriate application forms may be obtained from many post offices or U. S. Civil Service Commission offices located throughout the country.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that an examination is now open for filling male and female Correctional Treatment Specialist positions at Federal penal and correctional institutions, the District of Columbia Department of Corrections, and in the United States Board of Parole. Appointments may be made at grade GS-7 (\$6,050 a year) or GS-9 (\$7,220 a year) depending upon the qualifications of the applicant.

To qualify, all applicants must have successfully completed a course of study leading to a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university which includes at least 24 semester hours in the social sciences and in addition must meet the experience requirements identified in Examination Announcement SL-14-2(1965).

Announcements and application forms may be obtained from many post offices located through the country, the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, U. S. Penitentiary, Leavenworth, Kansas 66048, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. 20415. Applications will be accepted until further notice.

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**City Board of Equalization Meeting July 12**

The City Council of the City of Sterling City will meet as a Board of Equalization at the City Hall from 9 to 12 a.m. All persons having an interest in such a board meeting are hereby notified to be present.  
**LEE R. REED**  
Mayor of the City of Sterling City

**Firemen To Elect New Officers**

The Sterling Volunteer Fire Department will elect new officers at the next meeting, which will be Monday week, July 12. Named by Fire Chief Jack Peel to serve on the nominating committee were Dan Glass, Ross Foster and Jim Cantrell.

Present officers are as follows:

W. R. Brooks, president  
Perry Matthews, vice-pres.  
Kenneth Peel, fire chief  
Ross Foster, asst. chief  
Troy Templin 2nd asst. chief  
R. P. Brown, fire marshal  
Dan Glass, asst. marshal  
Hubert Travis, chaplain  
Jim Cantrell, sheriff  
H. M. Knight, secretary  
D. Kirk Hopkins, treasurer.  
Fire chief Peel urges all the members to be present at the July 12 meeting when the new officers will be elected.

The members of the Volunteer Fire Department now have their shirts and caps and their badges.

**Sonora Diamond Jubilee**

Residents of Sonora and Sutton County will turn the calendar back 75 years August 15-21 when they observe the Diamond Anniversary of this West Texas community whose history of outlawry is as colorful as any in the west.

Old-fashioned fun and general hullabaloo will be the theme of the six-day celebration which will feature town-wide decoration, costume and beard contests, shoot-outs and other activities during the week.

The Diamond Jubilee celebration will begin Sunday afternoon, August 15, with an old-time basket dinner, preaching and hymn-singing on the lawn of the Sutton County courthouse. Dr. Andrew Edington, president of Schreiner Institute, Kerrville will preach the sermon.

An open house and reception is scheduled for Friday, August 20, with former residents, members of pioneer families, and out of town guests as honorees.

The Jubilee Parade, with bands, wagons, antique cars and other entries, will be held on Saturday morning and is to be followed by a barbecue. A pageant depicting the history of the town and county will be presented Friday and Saturday nights at the Sonora Park and Horse Show grounds. Street dancing is scheduled for Saturday night with floor shows at intermissions.

Sonora, once the hang-out of such Western badmen as Will Carver, Black Jack Ketchum, Sam Ketchum, Kid Curry, King Fister and John Wesley Hardin, was founded in 1890 by the late Charles F. Adams shortly after the creation of Sutton County from a portion of Crockett County. The area was settled by sheepmen and is now one of the largest wool and mohair producing counties in Texas.

Sonora is the burial place of Will Carver, member of the notorious Hole-in-the-Wall Gang known also as the Wild Bunch from Robbers' Roost. Carver was killed in downtown Sonora, April 2, 1901 in a gun battle with then Sutton County Sheriff E. S. (Lije) Briant, one of West Texas' most famed law enforcement officials. The stone on Carver's grave in Sonora Cemetery bears only the date of his death.

Among celebrities receiving special invitations to be present during the Jubilee are President Lyndon B. Johnson, Governor John Connally, Congressman O. C. Fisher, State Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman and former resident Dan Blocker.

**FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD DONATIONS SO FAR:**

H. S. Mothers' Club	\$662.93
8th Grade Mag. Sales	232.59
Gandy's Dairy	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. H. A. Chapple and Alfred Marshall Blair	5.00
Foremost Dist.	10.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$920.52</b>

(Needed about \$1,200)

**What in the WORLD! by TED**



**A Vital Tool**

The outboard motor, an almost frivolous gadget as the power behind sport and recreational fishing in America, is a vital weapon against hunger elsewhere.

In 1951, the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) started putting outboards on the dugouts and catamarans of fishermen in Ceylon. For centuries, the Ceylonese were limited to fishing grounds they could reach by paddle or sail and from which they could return before nightfall. A fisherman's catch averaged 13 pounds; often he sailed home empty-handed.

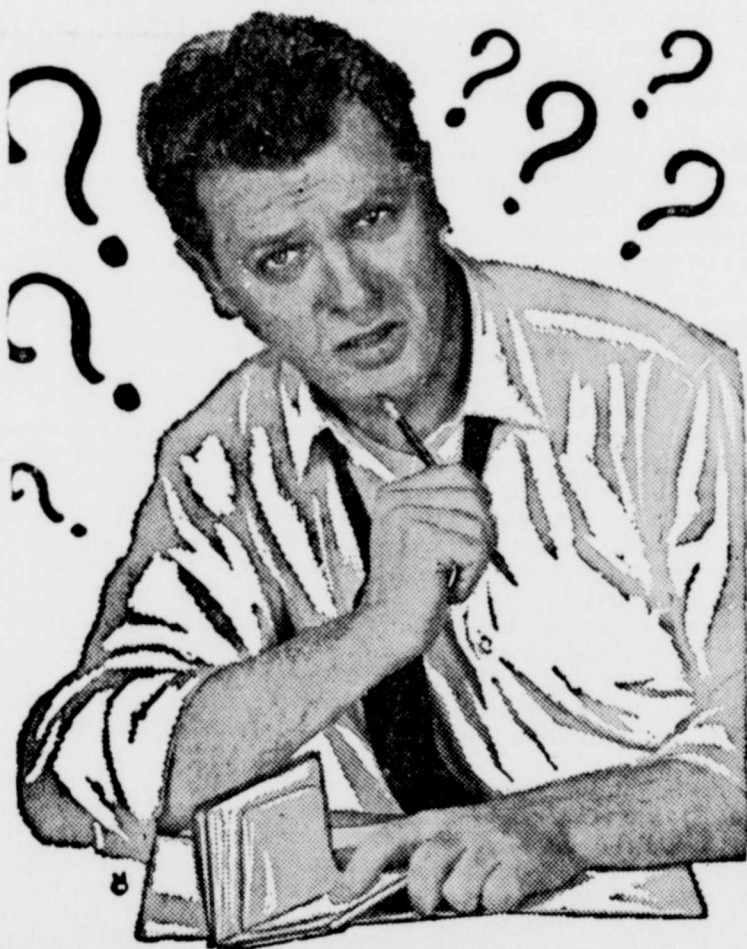
Outboards extended his range enormously. He could reach depths where the big fish feed and still get home before dark. Catches increased as much as tenfold.

The motors, sold on easy terms to fishermen, are donated or provided at reduced prices by private companies, including an American outboard firm. Other groups donate money. FAO, which has launched similar programs in other countries, supplies training. Thus, FAO again has proved that the food problem is not the lack of new resources but the failure to exploit existing ones.

For further information on the U.N. write to: United Nations Association of the U. S. A., 345 E. 46th St., New York, N. Y. 10017

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#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship — 7:30 p.m.

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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
Night Worship — 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Mid-Week Service — 8:00 p.m.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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District 4 contest is set for Dec. 4 at Angelo State College, the state contest for Jan. 7 and 8 at Texas A&M University. Entry forms are available from home demonstration agents and will be in the hands of home economics teachers.

Mrs. Percy Pace, Home Economics Department Angelo State College, is director of District 4 which includes the counties of Brown, Coke, Coleman, Comanche, Concho, Reagan, Glasscock, Irion, Runnels, Sterling, Tom Green, and Upton.

The Twin Mt. Unit, T. S. & G. R. A. Auxiliary, is assisting Mrs. Pace in contacting agents and teachers and in distributing entry blanks to the towns in the 12 counties. Mrs. Pace has arranged a workshop for August and is urging potential entrants to plan early on their patterns and materials and stressed that entrants buy only 100% wool, loomed or knitted or felted in America. Any imports are unacceptable.

There will be four divisions: Sub-Deb, 10 to 13 inclusive; Junior, 14 to 16 inclusive; Senior, 17 to 21 inclusive; Adult, 22 and over. Texas is one of the states to sponsor an adult division. The Twin Mt. auxiliary is offering two prizes in the adult division for District 4—\$20 cash for first place winner and a gift, yet to be selected, for second place, according to Mrs. Carroll Farmer, unit chairman.

Contestants may use commercial patterns or an original design. They are reminded to select a fashionable design coordinated with the contestant and the chosen fabric. All contestants serve as their own models.

Make-It-Yourself-With-Wool contests in Texas are sponsored by the American Wool Council, the Women's Auxiliary to the National Wool Growers' Association, and the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association. Mrs. S. M. Harvick of Ozona is director for Texas.

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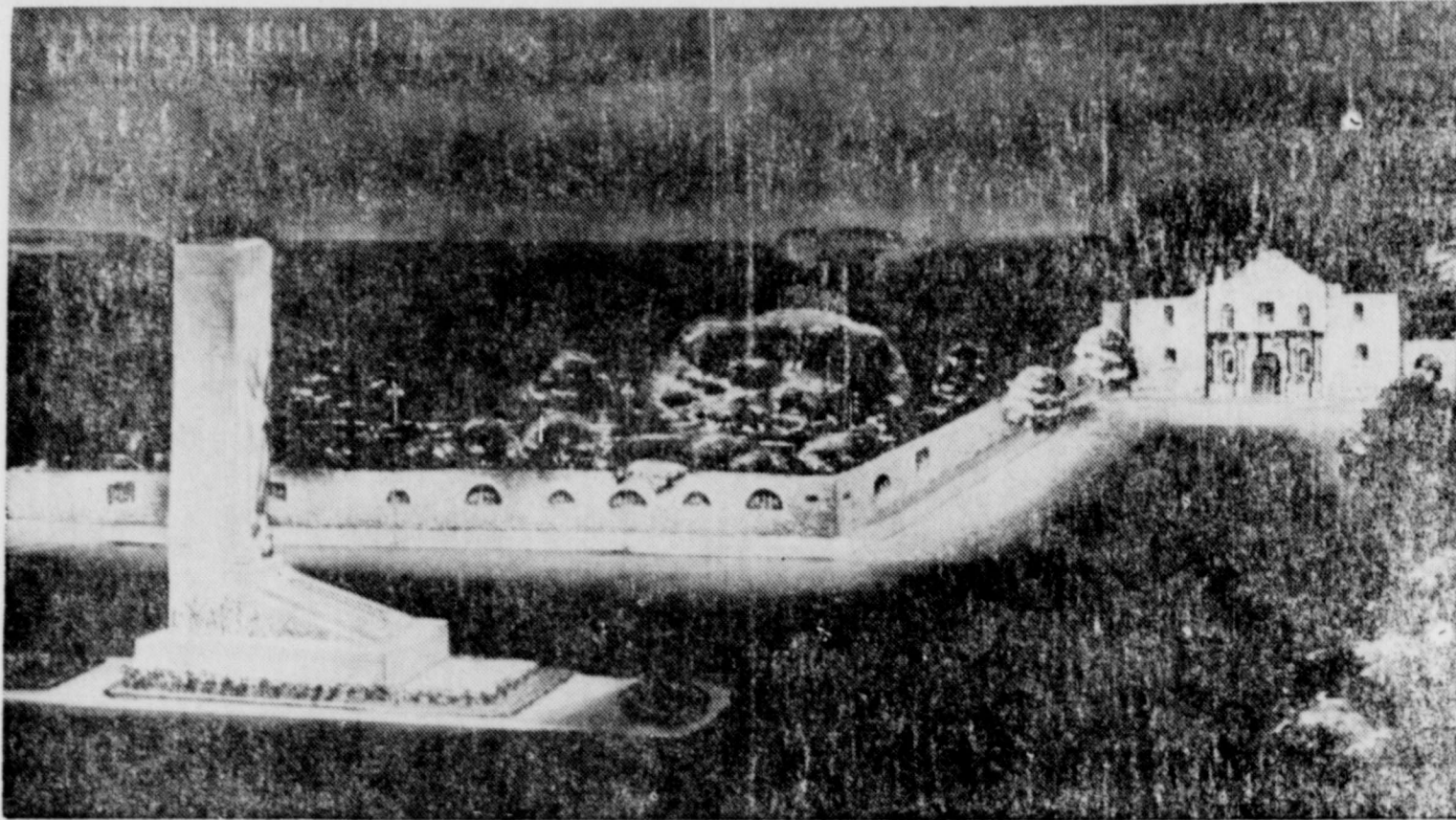
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**Accent on Health**

Cancer can be cured. Almost a million and a third Americans are living proof of that fact.

One out of four, statistics show, will have cancer — the second leading killer of persons in Texas.

The problem is to detect cancer early — before it has spread — so it can be removed by surgery or destroyed by radiation. Cancer can insidiously creep up on a person with only subtle signs of warning. Frequent medical checkups are a person's best guard against the disease.

Uterine cancer, once a most dreaded form of the disease, could be dramatically reduced, the experts say. A simple, painless "Pap" test included in every woman's yearly health examination can detect this type of cancer in early treatable stages.

Breast cancer, the leading cancer killer of women, can also be forestalled. Every woman should examine her breasts monthly for suspicious swellings, lumps or other signs. Literature is available from your health department or cancer society explaining examination methods. Check with your doctor when you first detect suspicious changes.

Skin cancer can many times be averted by early observation of changes, too. A mole, for example, which grows or bleeds should be called to your doctor's attention. Other abnormal skin conditions should be brought to the doctor's attention.

A proctoscopic examination should be made part of every man and woman's annual physical checkup for early detection and treatment of colon-rectum cancers.

And always be on guard for cancer's seven danger signals: unusual bleeding or discharge, a lump or thickening in the breast or elsewhere, a sore that does not heal, a change in bowel or bladder habits, hoarseness or cough, indigestion or difficulty in swallowing or a change in a wart or mole.

If your danger signal lasts longer than two weeks, go to your doctor immediately.

(A weekly feature from the Division of Public Health Education, Texas State Department of Health.)

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**State Bar Column LAUGHING HEIRS**

The letter bore grim tidings: old Uncle Harvey had passed away. But as George read it, not a flicker of sorrow crossed his countenance. On the contrary, his only reaction was a whoop of delight at the news that he was the sole heir to \$20,000.

George was not heartless. But the fact of the matter was that he and Uncle Harvey—actually, just a distant relative—had always disliked each other intensely. They had not even been on speaking terms for years.

The only reason the \$20,000 was coming to George was that he was, technically, the next of kin. Since Uncle Harvey had never bothered to make a will, the law automatically gave his money to the next of kin.

Are such ironies common? So common, alas, that lawyers have a special phrase to describe people like George: "laughing heirs."

Each year, property worth billions of dollars must necessarily change hands because of death. When there is no will, this wealth is transferred according to the rigid formulas of inheritance.

Although these formulas do try to be fair, all they can do as a practical matter is to follow the lines of kinship. What may have mattered most to the deceased—the ties of friendship, a sense of gratitude, the promoting of charity—cannot be weighed by a court after he is gone.

An added mockery is that the more remote the kinship, the more costly it may be to track down the heir and settle his rights.

Some states have tried to foil the laughing heir by cutting off the claims beyond a certain degree of kinship. That may help in a particular case, but then again it may not. For even a relative who is close in terms of kinship may be underserving in every other way.

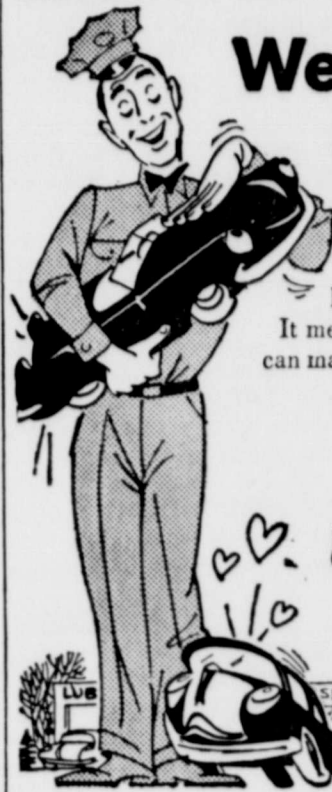
The real answer is for the individual to express his wishes and his wisdom before he dies. If you don't like the thought of some ungrateful heir chuckling over your demise, you can prevent it simply by exercising your will power—your power to make a will.

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

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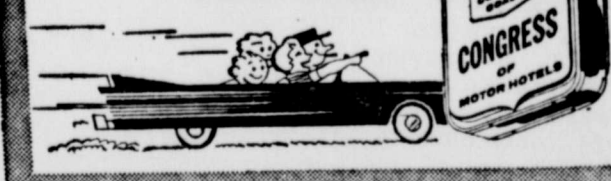
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